

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*In re application of:*                      *Rhodes, Lester Kent*  
*Serial No.:*                                      *10/743,630*  
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*For:*    *Crane Supporting Apparatus*  
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*Art Unit:*                                        *3654*  
*Examiner:*                                        *Brahan, Thomas J.*

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**AMENDMENT — AFTER NON-FINAL REJECTION**

This "Amendment — After Non-Final Rejection" is submitted as a part of the Applicant's Response to the Examiner's Detailed Office Action mailed 10/10/2006 and having a response due by 1/10/2007. The following separate pages entitled:

"Listing of Claims"

are respectfully submitted.